UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

Stephen Wayne Carlson,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civil No. 12-644 (JNE/JJK)

ORDER

Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development; Commissioner Mark R. Phillips, in Official Capacity; and Minnesota Governor Mark Dayton, in Official Capacity,

Defendants.

In a Report and Recommendation dated October 17, 2012, the Honorable Jeffrey J.

Keyes, United States Magistrate Judge, recommended that Defendants' Motion for Judgment on

the Pleadings be granted, that Plaintiff's Motion for Temporary Restraining Order be denied, and

that this case be dismissed. Plaintiff objected, and Defendants responded. The Court has

conducted a de novo review of the record. See D. Minn. LR 72.2(b). Based on that review, the

Court adopts the Report and Recommendation [Docket No. 35]. Therefore, IT IS ORDERED

THAT:

1. Defendants' Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings [Docket No. 12] is

GRANTED.

2. Plaintiff's Motion for Temporary Restraining Order [Docket No. 22] is DENIED.

3. This case is DISMISSED.

LET JUDGMENT BE ENTERED ACCORDINGLY.

Dated: December 5, 2012

s/Joan N. Ericksen

JOAN N. ERICKSEN

United States District Judge